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MS: Amendment Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

This paper is supplemental to the Information Disclosure Statement filed February 4, 2004. Since Applicants believe this paper is being filed before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits, no fees are believed to be required under 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b)(3). If a fee is deemed to be required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge such fee to Deposit Account No. 19-0134.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.56, applicants wish to call the Examiner's attention to the references cited on the attached form(s) PTO-1449.

Some of the listed references were cited in a search report in a corresponding application. Copies of these references and the search report are enclosed herewith.

Also, copies of the other cited references are enclosed herewith.

The Examiner is requested to consider the foregoing information in relation to this application and indicate that each reference was considered by returning a copy of the initialed PTO 1449 form(s).

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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE
	AA	2003/0141268	7/31/03	Kerns et al.			
	AB	2,796,188	6/18/57	Kurkjian			
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FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

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AM	FR 2715062	7/21/95	France				
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OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent pages, Etc.)

AR	International Search Report						
AS	English language abstract for FR 2715062 from EPO, 1997-07-21,						
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